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Mats PETTERSSON et al.

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For: A CODING PATTERN, APPARATUS, AND
METHOD FOR DETERMINING DATA
VALUES IN THE CODING PATTERN (AS
AMENDED)

Examiner: J. A. Franklin

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 30, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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